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QUOTE

C O N F I D E N T I A L USNATO 2330

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MILLXO, US

SUBJ: SOVIET ACTIVITY IN THE INDIAN OCEAN AREA

REF: (A) STATE 82620, (B) STATE 78220

MISSION WILL BRIEF COUNCIL ON CONTENTS OF REF (B) AT MAY 2
NAC. BRIEFING COORDINATED WITH UK DELEGATION WHICH CONCURS
WITH ONE EXCEPTION CONCERNING INFORMATION IN PARA 7B.
UK DELEGATION POINTS OUT THAT CHAGOS ARCHIPELAGO, WHICH
INCLUDES DIEGO GARCIA, IS BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY, AND
ALLEGATION THAT THE SOVIETS HAVE ESTABLISHED A FLEET ANCHORAGE
THERE COMES AS A SURPRISE, AT LEAST TO THE UK NATO DELEGATION.
THEY REQUEST THAT WE CLARIFY THIS POINT IN OUR BRIEFING.
ACTION: REQUEST GUIDANCE FOR MAY 2 NAC.MCAULIFFE UNQUOTE CUSH

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